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6 **UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT**
7 **DISTRICT OF NEVADA**
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9 STERLING ATKINS,

10 Petitioner,

2:02-cv-01348-JCM-PAL

11 vs.

ORDER

12 TIMOTHY FILSON *et al.*,

13 Respondents.
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16 In this capital habeas corpus action, the respondents filed a motion to dismiss (ECF No. 192)
17 on December 22, 2016. Petitioner's response to that motion is due on February 21, 2017. *See* Order
18 entered August 10, 2015 (ECF No. 167) (60 days for response to motion to dismiss).

19 Along with the motion to dismiss, respondents filed a motion for waiver of compliance with
20 LR IA 10-3(e) and (i) (ECF No. 193).

21 In their motion, respondents first request a waiver, for purposes of this case, of Local Rule IA
22 10-3(e), which requires, with respect to the filing of exhibits, that the cover sheet for each exhibit
23 must include a descriptor of the exhibit. The court finds that, in this habeas corpus action, there is
24 good cause to waive the requirement that the cover sheet for each exhibit include a descriptor of the
25 exhibit. For purposes of this action, the court waives the requirement in Local Rule IA 10-3(e) that
26 the cover sheet for each filed exhibit must include a descriptor of the exhibit.

However, pursuant to LR IC 2-2(g), because respondents' motion to dismiss and supporting exhibits each exceed 50 pages, respondents are to submit paper copies of those items to the court; respondents should submit those copies of the motion and exhibits to the attention of the court's staff attorneys, at the office of the clerk of the court, at the court's Reno location.

Dated December 27, 2016.

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